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Bankruptcy Judge

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Term Expires: 2021

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**Michael J. Davis**  
 Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
 Education: Macalester 1969 BA;  
 Minnesota 1972 JD  
 Began Service: March 30, 1994  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; International Academy of Trial Judges; Minnesota Association of Black Lawyers; Minnesota Lawyers International Human Rights Committee; National Bar Association

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**John R. Tunheim**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1953  
 Education:  
 Concordia Col Moorhead MN 1975 BA;  
 Minnesota 1980 JD  
 Began Service: December 29, 1995  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Lecturer, University of Minnesota Law School (1985-1995); Adjunct Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Minnesota Law School (1994)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk, Judge Earl Larson, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1980-1981)

**Government:** Staff Assistant (D-MN), Office of Senator Hubert H. Humphrey, United States Senate (1975-1978); Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1984-1985); Solicitor General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1985-1986); Chief Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, State of Minnesota (1986-1995); Chair, Assassination Records Review Board (1994-1998)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Oppenheimer, Wolff, Foster, Shepard & Donnelly (1981-1984)

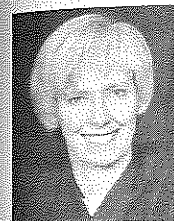
**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; The Douglas K. Amdahl American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Judicial Conference of the United States; Minnesota State Bar Association; District 19, Minnesota State Bar Association

**Chambers of District Judge John R. Tunheim** *continued*

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**Ann D. Montgomery**  
 District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
 Education: Kansas 1971 BS; Minnesota 1974 JD  
 Began Service: August 6, 1996  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Law School, University of Minnesota (1988-1994)

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Gerard D. Reilly, District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1974-1976)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1976-1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Hennepin County District Court (1983-1985); Judge, Hennepin County District Court (1985-1994); Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Minnesota (1994-1996)

**Current Memberships:** American Judicature Society; Eighth Circuit District Judges Association; Federal Bar Association; Hennepin County Bar Association; Minnesota Judges Association; Minnesota State Bar Association; Minnesota Women Lawyers; National Association of Women Judges

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**Donovan W. Frank**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
 Education: Luther Col 1973 BA; Hamline 1977 JD  
 Began Service: November 2, 1998  
 Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Government:** Assistant County Attorney, County of St. Louis, Minnesota (1977-1985)

**Judicial:** Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1985-1998); Assistant Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1989-1991); Chief Judge, Minnesota District Court, Sixth Judicial District (1991-1996)

**Current Memberships:** The Richard T. Oakes American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; Board of Directors, Minnesota Chapter, Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers; Minnesota State Bar Association; Range County Bar Association

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**Joan N. Ericksen**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1954  
 Education: St Olaf 1977 BA; Minnesota 1981 JD  
 Began Service: June 14, 2002  
 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, District of Minnesota, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1983-1993)

**Judicial:** Judge, Fourth Judicial District Court, Hennepin County, MN (1995-1998); Associate Justice, Minnesota Supreme Court (1998-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Lefevre, Lefler, Kennedy, O'Brien & Drawz (1981-1983); Partner, Leonard, Street and Deinard (1993-1995)

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